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THE BEST TOWN, THE BEST PEOPLE AND THE BEST CLIMATE---THAT'S ST. CLOUD



ST. CLOUD TEMPERATURE table with columns for date, max, and min temperatures for the week of Jan 2-8.

VOLUME 11, NO. 20--EIGHT PAGES THIS WEEK. ST. CLOUD, OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1919. \$2.00 A YEAR. FIVE CENTS THE COPY.

VOTE ON RECALL SET FOR NEXT TUESDAY, 14TH

Women Will Have Opportunity to Vote For First Time in Special Election

The recall election called by Mayor Conn to determine whether Fred H. Kenney, city clerk and collector, shall be recalled from office and James Goff put into his place is scheduled to take place on Tuesday of next week. The recall petition and its allegations against Mr. Kenney have been printed as a legal advertisement in these columns. Mr. Kenney's denial of these charges also has been published in the Tribune. The proposition made last week by Comrade Levi Shambow that he would put up \$500 to guarantee the costs of having an expert auditor investigate the city's books if the so-called "harmony" committee that originated the recall-election petition would do likewise, providing that if there is anything wrong discovered in Mr. Kenney's city affairs the bill for such audit would be paid by Mr. Shambow, and if there is nothing wrong the bill is to be paid by the opposition, has not been accepted by the committee nor by any individual up to the time of going to press. Mr. Shambow took the position that Mr. Kenney had been several times elected to office by good majorities, and that the present fight was merely persecution by the political enemies of Mr. Kenney, and that there is no foundation for the charges made. The women of St. Cloud will be allowed to cast ballots for the first time in city elections in this recall contest next Tuesday. It is hoped by the large majority of the citizens of St. Cloud that when the result of this election is announced all local squabbling will cease and that an effort will be made to start a campaign of city boosting and improvement that should result in much good to the city. In this issue we print an article from City Treasurer W. G. King that deals in a business-like manner with some of the problems confronting the people of St. Cloud at this time.

CITY TREASURER SAYS ALLEGATION IS FALSE.

No Truth in Statement That City Clerk and Collector Kenney Ever Refused To Turn Over Funds Of City.

The Tribune has interviewed City Treasurer W. G. King about a statement made to the effect that HE IS A TRAITOR TO THE FACTION THAT ELECTED HIM TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE CITY COUNCIL. Mr. King states—and it can be corroborated easily—that he was solicited by one faction of citizens to represent it in the City Council. The Tribune states further and authoritatively, in this connection, that Mr. King was besought by the other faction also to become a candidate for the office he holds. This can be established. Much against his inclinations, Mr. King allowed his name to be placed on the ballot, but with the distinct and clear understanding that he did so not as a representative of any party or faction, but with his hands free and his policy unimpaired. When Mr. King had been elected, and from his personal knowledge he found how matters stood in the City Council, he took the same independent stand that he has maintained throughout his tenure of office thus far—that he would stand for no questionable acts or plans from or by anybody—that he would not aid or countenance attacks on any official or other person in connection with city affairs merely for factional purposes, regardless of the right or the wrong in the matter. In response to the Tribune man's inquiry as to how he stands on the Kenney matter, Mr. King stated that he is FULLY CONVINCED, and HAS EVERY OCCASION TO KNOW THAT Mr. Kenney's books are well and straightly kept and that the city clerk and collector is simply an object of persecution. Furthermore, Mr. King said, he is upholding Mr. Kenney with whatever influence he may have, and he would vote for him at the polls with pleasure and confidence, and he thinks all fair-minded voters should do likewise. When reminded that "some folks" claim Mr. Kenney has been abusive or insulting to certain citizens in his dealings with them about city affairs, Mr. King remarked that Mr. Kenney is at least as gentle as those who are abusing him; that he never had heard Mr. Kenney abuse or insult anybody since he (King) has been a member of the City Council. At least, no person had been insulted in the council-room since (Continued on Page 5.)

AMUSING INCIDENT IN "HARMONY" CONCERT

(Contributed.) An amusing incident occurred several days ago in connection with our city squabble. It will bear narration. P— and H— were walking along a sidewalk, and the subject of City Clerk Kenney's "guilt" and "crimes" was brought up. H— insisted that he believes Kenney is guilty, and P— defended the city clerk. Then they met R—. "See here," said P—, "do you know that H— broke into Pat Marine's drug store night before last and robbed it?" "No," said R—, in surprise. "It is a lie!" said H—. "Well, I believe it," said P—; "for a GOOD MAN told me so." "Well, it is a lie," said H—; and he coupled some emphatic adjectives with his denial. "Well, I don't care what you say, I am going to believe it until after election," said P—, "and then possibly continue to believe it." "Well, what has the election got to do with my guilt?" asked H—. "Just as much as with the guilt of Kenney," said P—. It did not appear whether H— caught the point or not.

LIVESTOCK MEN WILL MEET AT KISSIMMEE

STATE LIVE-STOCK ASSOCIATION, STATE DAIRY ASSOCIATION, ANIMAL AND DAIRY EXHIBITS, HORSE RACES, AND BARBECUE.

Admission To And Participation In Everything Will Be Without Charge.

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of next week (Jan. 14, 15, and 16) will be eventful days over at Kissimmee. Two State conventions will meet in that city within that time—that of the State Live-Stock Association and that of the State Dairy Association. The county fair has been converted into a live-stock exhibit. The time has been found too short in which to prepare a county fair that would do justice to the county. The city of Kissimmee and the county commissioners have joined forces to pay the expenses of the meetings and all entertainment features pertaining thereto. NO ADMISSION FEE WILL BE EXACTED TO ANY MEETING OR FEATURE OF ENTERTAINMENT. A SPECIAL AND CORDIAL INVITATION IS EXTENDED TO RESIDENTS AND VISITORS IN ST. CLOUD TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ENJOYMENT OF THESE EVENTS—AND WITHOUT PRICE. Horse and pony races will be run. Any one in the county, and especially in the St. Cloud vicinity, who has a horse or a pony that might be desirable for entry in the races is invited to enter him. No entrance fee will be charged. There will be prizes offered in all of the races. The dairy and animal exhibits will be at the county fair grounds where the racing also will be conducted. On Thursday a big barbecue will be served—without charge to whoever desires to partake of it. Addresses by many experts and noted persons will be delivered during the sessions of the two associations. The state women's move in Florida (Mrs. Marion Horwitz-O'Brien, mayor of Moore Haven) will be one of the speakers. The program of the State Live-Stock Association's sessions is as follows: Tuesday, Jan. 14. MORNING SESSION. 10 A. M.—Enrollment. 10:35—Singing of "America." 10:45—Address of welcome, by Pat Johnston of Kissimmee. 11 A. M.—Response, by R. W. Dunlap of Green Cove Springs. 11:35 A. M.—President's annual address, by Dr. W. F. Blackman of Jacksonville. AFTERNOON SESSION. 2 P. M.—"Advantages of Pure-Bred Bulls and How to Secure Them," by J. H. McClain, dairy husbandman of the Bureau of Animal Industry, dairy division, Washington D. C. 2:45 P. M.—"Handling of Cattle on the Range," by C. A. Carson Jr. of Kissimmee. 3:15 P. M.—Round-Table conferences and personal experiences and experiments; six-minute addresses, by U. O. Adams, Jacksonville; J. L. Bartholomew, Galloway; E. C. Beuchler, Anthony; J. H. Bright, Miami; Z. C. Chambers, Ocala; R. M. Clewis, Tampa; Dr. R. J. H. DeLoach, Chicago; J. B. Durrer, Leesburg; L. P. Dickle, secretary of Board of Trade, Tampa; C. L. Gaines, Jacksonville; E. E. Goodnow, LaBelle; F. C. Groover, Jacksonville; U. A. Lightsey, Bartow; Burdette Loomis Jr., Pierce; J. J. Logan, Jacksonville; J. M. Meffert, Ocala; J. G. Pace, Pensacola; A. Sessoms, Bonifay; J. B. Simonton, Micanopy; F. H. Smith, Hillsdale, Mich.; R. G. Tonkin, Arcadia; Will M. Trner, editor of the Farmer and Stockman, Jacksonville. NIGHT SESSION. 8 P. M.—Music by Rollins College Glee Club. 8:15—Address by W. R. Goodwin, managing editor of Breeders' Gazette, Chicago, Ill. 9 P. M.—"Experiences and Observations in Europe," by Dr. George M. Rommel, chief of Animal Husbandry division, Washington D. C. Wednesday, Jan. 15. MORNING SESSION. 9:30 A. M.—"Sheep and Goats in Florida," by W. J. Clarke of Tallahassee, formerly editor of Shepherd's Journal. 10 A. M.—Address by Dr. E. Z. Russell, in charge of swine investigations of Animal Husbandry Division Washington D. C. 10:30 A. M.—Work of the various co-operative agencies; six-minute administrative addresses; State Department of Agriculture, by W. A. McRae of Tallahassee; State Live-Stock Sanitary Board, R. W. Storrs of DeFuniak Springs; Florida Cattle-Tick-Eradication Committee, Chairman J. M. Bruggins of West Palm Beach; State Experiment Station, Director P. H. Rolfs and Vice-Director J. M. Scott, Gainesville; College of Agriculture, Prof. C. H. Willoughby and State Agent C. K. McQuarrie, Gainesville; Florida State Swine Growers' Association, President Z. C. Herlong of Micanopy; Florida State Dairy Association, President R. G. Johnson of Tallahassee; Federal Bureau of Animal Industry, Dr. H. A. Logan of Gainesville and Dr. L. E. Lyons and Dr. J. G. Fish of Tallahassee. AFTERNOON SESSION. 2 P. M.—"Forest Fires in Relation to Florida's Resources and Industries," by Austin Cary, logging engineer of United States Forest Service, Washington. 2:45 P. M.—"Woman on the Farm and the Ranch"; ten-minute addresses, Mrs. W. F. Blackman, Lake Monroe; Miss Mary O. Chase, Brandon; Mrs. Marian A. Horwitz-O'Brien, Moore Haven; Miss May Morse, assistant home demonstration agent, Tallahassee; Mrs. S. R. Pyles, Ocala; Mrs. J. O. Randall, Lawtey; Miss H. G. Wagener, Green Cove Springs. NIGHT SESSION. 8 P. M.—Music by Rollins College Glee Club. 8:15 P. M.—"Cattle-Tick Eradication in the South," by Dr. R. A. Ramsey, chief of Tick-Eradication Division of Federal Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 9 P. M.—"Cattle-Tick Eradication in Mississippi," by E. K. Middleton, formerly president of Southern Cattle-men's Association, Pocomantas, Miss. 9:30 P. M.—Cattle-Tick Eradication in Florida," ILLUSTRATED BY FILM PICTURES, by Dr. E. M. Nighbert, in-charge, Jacksonville. Thursday, Jan. 16. MORNING SESSION. 9 A. M.—Question box. 9:30 A. M.—Business session. Report of resolutions committee; election of officers; minutes; adjournment. 10:30 A. M.—Excursion and barbecue tendered by the people of Kissimmee and Osceola county. There will be a women's committee to see to the comfort and entertainment of visiting women. An information bureau will maintain in the lobby-room of the Graystone hotel, the services of which will be at the pleasure of all visitors. The day meetings of the State Live-Stock Association will be held in the courthouse; the night meetings, in the Dixie theater. In the afternoon of Thursday there will be a meeting of the cattlemen of Osceola, Brevard, St. Lucie, and Okechobee counties. This for the purpose of discussing the best method for handling the work of tick eradication in either of these counties are invited to participate in this meeting. Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Sprague and Mrs. C. R. Shaffer and her mother, Mrs. M. Wert, from Shortsville, N. Y., were arrivals of Friday last and are again domiciled in their own home, at Ohio avenue between Seventh and Eighth streets.

NOTICE OF SALE

To the Public: Having decided to sever my connection with the newspaper business in Osceola County, I have this day sold to the St. Cloud Tribune, of which newspaper Claud F. Johnson is editor and owner, all rights, titles and interests in and to the St. Cloud Herald, of which newspaper I am the sole owner. This sale carries with it any and every contract the Herald may have for advertising, and also the subscription list of the Herald. All bills due the Herald up to and including January 3, 1919, are payable to the undersigned, and all bills due by the Herald will be paid by the undersigned. S. J. TRIPLETT. St. Cloud, Fla., Jan. 8, 1919.

Jacksonville: J. M. Meffert, Ocala: J. G. Pace, Pensacola: A. Sessoms, Bonifay; J. B. Simonton, Micanopy; F. H. Smith, Hillsdale, Mich.; R. G. Tonkin, Arcadia; Will M. Trner, editor of the Farmer and Stockman, Jacksonville.

JOINTLY INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

The Army and Navy Union Garrison and the Elsie P. McElroy Auxiliary (No. 17) of the Army and Navy Union had a joint installation of officers at G. A. R. Memorial hall on Monday, Jan. 6. Those who conducted the installation for the auxiliary were Lady National Deputy Elmira Westcott and Lady Patriotic Instructor Agnes Livermore. The officers installed were: Lady Commander—Esmeralda Vreeland. Lady Vice-Commander—Minnie F. Barber. Lady Deputy—Abbie M. Gardner. Lady Adjutant—Dora L. Francher. Lady Quartermaster—Savilla F. Houston. Lady Paymaster—Amelia L. Hill. Lady Officer of the Day—Mary P. Doughty. Lady Officer of the Guard—Anna Furner. Lady Sentry—Mary McClay. Lady Picket—Mary McCarthy. Color-Bearer No. 1—Pauline A. Wise. Color-Bearer No. 2—Dorothea W. Jacques. Lady Chaplain—Emma Williams.

A. F. BASS IS CHAIRMAN OF COUNTY BOARD

For the first time in the history of Osceola county a chairman for the Board of County Commissioners has been elected who does not reside in Kissimmee. Commissioner A. F. Bass of the St. Cloud district was elected chairman last Tuesday, when the new board was organized, for the two-year term that began Jan. 1. Monday the old Board of County Commissioners met and wound up all unfinished business on hand and adjourned. Tuesday the new board met, with one new member present, John Farlin being the successor of J. K. Hilliard for the new term. The election for chairman of the board resulted in St. Cloud securing this recognition, Mr. Bass being elected, thus breaking a precedent that has existed ever since Osceola county was formed. Pat Johnston of Kissimmee was selected as attorney for the board, succeeding Milton Pledger. L. R. Farmer was selected as superintendent of convicts for another term. Gerald Ashton was again chosen as superintendent of road grading. Dr. J. R. McCarthy of Shingle Creek was selected to be county physician. J. E. Bass was again given the position of janitor for the courthouse. Overstreet Proposes Economy. County Commissioner E. L. D. Overstreet proposed that the board take steps to economize along all lines this year, and he asked when the time of County Agricultural Agent M. M. Javens expired. Learning that the agent's term of office continues until the summer months Mr. Overstreet moved that Mr. Javens be notified that his services no longer would be needed when his term expires. Mr. Javens is working jointly for the county and the Federal Government as agricultural agent, Osceola county paying \$100 per month on his salary. Three commissioners voted for Mr. Overstreet's motion, the two others not voting. Bids for the construction of new roads in the Kenansville district were ordered called for—the roads for which that district has issued bonds. County Surveyor R. G. Reynolds filed his report with profiles for these roads, and the specifications are on file with the county clerk. The St. Cloud Tribune was designated by the commissioners as the newspaper to print the delinquent tax list for this year. The commissioners instructed the clerk to ask the State Road Department to supply some convict gangs which, under the law, this department is supposed to obtain for the various counties.

TRIPLETT SELLS HERALD AND WILL SOON LEAVE COUNTY

S. J. Triplett, who has been editing the St. Cloud Herald throughout the last eleven months, sold the circulation and advertising business of that publication to the St. Cloud Tribune this week and announces that he will leave St. Cloud and Osceola county within a short time for a new location on the east coast. While Mr. Triplett did not state positively where he would locate, it is understood that he will remove to Fort Pierce and edit a newspaper there and one for Okechobee county as well. Mr. Triplett's action did not come as a surprise to many who had watched the growth of the Tribune's circulation and business since it passed into the hands of its present owner, Claud F. Johnson, as the majority of the people in Osceola county have been loyal and appreciated patrons of the Tribune throughout the past year. This growth and patronage, added to the fact that the Tribune is the original home paper and has a well-equipped printing office in this city, indicated it was only a matter of time until there again would be only one newspaper in St. Cloud. Mr. Triplett issues the following statement for publication in connection with turning over the business of his Herald to the Tribune: To the Patrons of the Herald and the Citizens of St. Cloud and Osceola County: It is with sincere regret that I abandon the newspaper business in Osceola county, as I have been closely identified with it here for nearly eleven years, and I have tried faithfully to make a success of the Herald, but find that two papers can not hope to live and pay anything like a dividend on the money invested, or even in part return a fair value for the time necessary to edit and manage the paper; and, as the Tribune has been covering the field for many years, I have decided that, in justice to myself, to dispose of the Herald and have saddled it upon the shoulders of Mr. C. F. Johnson, editor and owner of the Tribune—and may his purchase prove profitable. That's all. S. J. TRIPLETT. All subscribers to the St. Cloud Herald will receive the Tribune this week instead of the Herald, and all those who were taking both newspapers will receive credit on their subscriptions to the Tribune for whatever unexpired subscription time is due them on the Herald. All the advertisements that appeared in the Herald of Jan. 3 (its last issue) appear in the Tribune today. It will continue to be the policy of the Tribune to give the people of St. Cloud and Osceola county the best newspaper possible to produce with the amount of business to be obtained in this section. The Tribune will strive to promote the progressive development of south Florida. With the return of normal business conditions and activities, following the cessation of war, greater prosperity and better service may be expected.

THE "WHY" OF SOME OF OUR CITY TROUBLES

Councilman W. G. King Cites Events Leading To Present Conditions In St. Cloud

To the Citizens of St. Cloud:

Until a few years ago St. Cloud was one of the most harmonious cities in the South. Inhabited principally by veterans of the Civil War, the comradeship that always exists among those in the battle field and those who endure hardships together was the one feature of the Wonder City. Unfortunately, into our midst has crept or come a disturbing element that at the present time threatens the prosperity of our town. I do not wish to discuss in detail nor to take up much of your valuable time, but there are several things I desire to make public that may, I trust, lead to more harmony than that which at this time exists. To go back to the time when the charter of the city was revised. A committee was appointed by the resident voters to take charge of the making of a new charter, the leading member of which committee was not even a resident of the city. In many ways the revised charter was faulty but it was accepted and voted for on the strength of the belief that that certain member of the committee knew more about the laws and regulations of the State than did those members who had resided in Florida only a very few years. A charter should be adapted to a city and its inhabitants—the same as an ordinance—for it can scarcely be expected that a city should grow up to its charter. Our inhabitants were not then, and are not now, adapted to the municipal laws by which they are governed. We have many worthy veterans in our town who have filled many town and city positions, but when called on to occupy dual positions in a city government, there are but few eligibles to the various positions. For instance, take the position of road inspector. The man who understands the making and grading of roads may be a man who can neither read nor write his own name, but he may be a thoroughly competent man to fill the position of road inspector. Whether this man would make a competent and eligible councilman or not would be a question; but, according to our charter, one position would have to be sacrificed for the other. It would have paid the city better by far to have formed a board consisting of a mayor and five councilmen, who would serve for the honor or for, at most, a nominal pay of \$1 per meeting, and to have competent men hired (by the day or the year) to perform the other duties of the city. I do not agree with the idea of appointing such a man to take over the affairs of the city, for that would give the one man the sole opportunity of doing just what the present City Council is VERY UNJUSTLY accused of, namely—running the city to suit himself. Here it is pertinent to remark that our councilmen are elected by the taxpayers to take charge of the business of the city, and the taxpayers elect them because they have confidence in them; and it would seem to me to be out of place for those councilmen to call on ALL the people for advice as to every turn they wish to make. I am personally convinced that the present City Council, and all previous City Councils, have acted according to their best judgment in trying to govern the city impartially and fairly to all and that they have been as economical as possible—subject to the actions of the taxpayers in voting for bond issues. The one main thing that has caused ill feeling among our people was the dispute as to who is liable for the improvement in brick paving. Some claim that the whole body of taxpayers should pay for this paving because there was no special mention of the fact in the election call that the cost of this paving would be charged the same as other street improvements—one-third to the city and one-third to each of the adjoining property-holders. The position taken by the then City Council, that the abutting property owners were the ones mostly benefited, and therefore should pay two-thirds of the cost, appears to be the logical conclusion. The City Council is criticised because the cost of this brick paving exceeded the estimate of the engineer hired by the city to make the estimate. The competency of this man I do not purpose to discuss, but the contract for this paving was let out at so much per yard, and, on completion of the job, the work done was very carefully measured several times, and by different people, and the bills were not paid until such time as the City Council was assured (Continued on Page 5.)

WOMEN TO VOTE NEXT TUESDAY.

For the first time in the history of St. Cloud or of Osceola county women may cast ballots in an election held in this city or in the county. Those women who took advantage of the registration made three days of last week, when the books were open there, will vote in the special election to take place next Tuesday. The law says that registration books shall be closed ten days prior to an election. Therefore the time for registration was short. There are approximately 275 women registered, however, and the vote on Tuesday next probably will be correspondingly large. The New England Society will meet upstairs in the G. A. R. Memorial building at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 14.

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reserved by such pharmacist for the period

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the Court in the same manner as appeals in chancery are taken under general law and the rules of the Supreme Court, and, upon such appeal being entered such writ Judge shall cause to be reduced to

Public Road, or Highways in the State of Florida"; and Also to Amend Chapter 881, Acts of 1915, Entitled "An Act to Amend Chapter 6212 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1911, Same Being Enti-

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PRESIDENT WILSON'S MISSION IN EUROPE

Newspapers which endorse President Wilson's mission to Europe should unceasingly support him and combat his critics.

They may be accused of "harping" on the topic—of making it "tiresome."

Let the criticism be made—and let it pass. Those who do right are usually subjected to much harsh criticism.

The President's friends can well afford to "harp" on this topic as long and longer than his critics "harp" on it.

As President Washington said of those who condemned his treaty-making more than 100 years ago, so the same is true about President Wilson's treaty-making now—that "no stone is being left unturned that will impress the people's minds with the most ardent misrepresentations of facts."

Great financial, commercial, and industrial interests that profit by a state of militarism (alias "preparedness") are fighting the league-of-nations proposition—for the United States Steel Corporation, the Krupp, and kindred industries could no longer devour national taxes in manufacturing implements for the destruction of human life. They, like the manufacturers of booze, would be compelled to turn to the production of something useful to mankind. They are in the position of the image-makers of Ephesus who sought to destroy the Apostle Paul because the latter's religion would wreck the image-making business.

It is true that a few progressive-minded people also oppose the league-of-nations plan—Senator Borah of Idaho, for instance, who is one of the most progressive among our Congressmen; but the Senator is the only progressive Congressman who voted against the proposed woman-suffrage amendment to the Federal Constitution. So one may well question his judgment on some matters.

Until the President's mission has been performed, and until THE peace treaty has been finally disposed of, this newspaper that sincerely desires no more wars should constantly endeavor to keep its readers correctly informed about the President's position, ideals, and actions, and to show up the partisan or selfish interests that are opposing and trying to undermine him.

Of course, it is POSSIBLE, barely possible, that the President MIGHT include some concession in the general peace terms that may appear all right from a merely altruistic viewpoint, but that would be objectionable from a practical American standpoint. Some of his enemies are intimating, for instance, that he may concede the unrestricted admission of Chinese and Japanese to our country—a proposition that should and would meet a storm of disapproval from all parties, excepting the pro-German branch of the Socialists and those "captains of industry" who want cheap labor. Such a proposition should be condemned, whether it comes from President Wilson or anybody else.

There is not the slightest indication that the President intends to make any such concession, or that he even favors it. This can be classed as one of the many "arrant misrepresentations" of something that is not even a fact—a part of the ammunition of those who shoot off "anything to knock Wilson."

Post! Scab! Scoundrel in high society! Mrs. Grundy suspects that Mayor Oann has been flagrantly flirting with Miss Fessenden!

WANAMAKER PUTS PATRIOTISM BEFORE PARTY

John Wanamaker probably is the most renowned merchant in the United States. He is also a Republican politician—using the word "politician" in its best and true sense. In fact, it is not amiss to call him a statesman.

Mr. Wanamaker served as Postmaster-General under President Harrison (1889-1893); and he is the only Postmaster-General, either Republican or Democrat, who ever had courage or progressiveness sufficient to nerve him to

defy the railroad interests in behalf of the public interests. If Congress had adopted his recommendations, the Postoffice Department would have saved, and now would be saving, millions of dollars that are paid to railroads because of exorbitant, even dishonest, charges for carrying mail.

President Wilson would make a "hit" with even many Democrats if he would remove Postmaster-General Burleson and put Mr. Wanamaker into his place.

Mr. Wanamaker, it is true, has taken a position on some public affairs that no progressive Democrat could endorse; but his face is set toward the light, and perhaps he may be excused on the ground of party expediency or because of the fact that men of kindred souls can not always vision alike.

Concerning President Wilson's mission to Europe, however, Mr. Wanamaker "rings true." So earnestly does he support the President's action and ideals in this matter that he makes his views thereon a part of his usual mercantile advertising in the Philadelphia and New York newspapers. The following (which he signed) is taken from his advertisement in the New York Herald of Jan. 1:

To him, it evidently was given to see the possibility of a reorganization and rebuilding of the world.

In his personality is incarnated an almost incomprehensible truth.

The President represents the belief of hundreds of thousands of men of both hemispheres—not in detail, but in principle—that wars of swords and guns and battle-ships shall forever cease.

It is a man-and-nation-saver the world is looking for today.

Whatever others think, the President has no misgivings of the central facts of his mission. He felt, undoubtedly, the impress of A WORLD DUTY.

He has gone to respond to a summons that to him was as powerful and as irresistible as the star that shone upon Bethlehem was to the Wise Men of the East.

Great world wars have always had their beginning in things which at the time seemed unreasonable or unimportant.

What a privilege it is to be living in such times, when continents and empires change and when kings and parliaments look to the plain citizens' President of the new power of the West for their guidance!

Let us be careful of thought and considerate of speech, for certainly the eyes of the world are upon us.

Surely these are hours of destiny.

The hand of the American people is on the guiding lever of world events. (Signed) JOHN WANAMAKER.

CORRECTING MR. CONE'S ERRORS.

An editorial in this newspaper of Dec. 12 dealt with the question of whether our nation should "feed the Huns" (SELL food to them) or force them to starve.

The attitude that Christians should take on this matter was "summed up" briefly in the statement that they could decide the matter for themselves by answering the question: "What would Jesus do?"

Whereat Fred Cone, a St. Cloud winter resident, took umbrage and published a sarcastic reply in—ANOTHER PUBLICATION.

This was not courteous on Mr. Cone's part—especially as he, formerly being a newspaper attaché, must be informed about such matters of "newspaper etiquette." The Tribune's columns were as free as air to him to use for any criticism he might have desired to direct against this newspaper. In fact, he had been invited to make himself "at home" in the Tribune office. The same amiable invitation continues open to him even now; for this is not written in a spirit of rancor, but to set Mr. Cone right and to correct any erroneous impression his criticism possibly may have created.

"Shall we feed the Huns? Not in 10,000 years!" So Mr. Cone's article both questions and answers. He bolsters his position thus by Biblical quotations or references indicating the Huns are to be cast into "a lake of fire and brimstone," and "into utter darkness," etc.

That probably will be the fate of the Huns; the majority of them, anyhow; but it is not for Mr. Cone nor any of his fellow mortals to do the "casting." That is a mistake one Wilhelm Hohenzollern made—assuming that he was a sort of partner, at least an instrument, of the Supreme Judge. Thus Mr. Cone ignores or flouts two important Divine commands: First, "If thine enemy hunger, feed him"; second, "Vengeance is mine, saith the Lord, and I will repay."

It is entirely within the province of mortals, of morals, and of justice to demand and exact reparation, damages, indemnities, of the Teuton barbarians, but vengeance that tortures and starves and slays—that is not for Christians. Which brings us to the main point of this topic, to-wit:

Mr. Cone not only errs when he assumes he or his fellows or his governmental agents are instruments of Divine vengeance. He errs also when he assumes he has grounds for resenting and waxing sarcastic about the question, "What would Jesus do?" That was meant for Christians—not for Mr. Cone.

MR. GOFF'S LETTERS TO VETERANS' ORDER

Documents Giving Both Sides of Controversy Are Printed At Request of Both Mr. Goff and The Organization Referred To.

Some time ago a letter that was written by James Goff to Comrade Seymour Gardner with reference to dues in the Army and Navy Union was brought to the Tribune with a request that it be published.

This letter had not been printed in the Tribune, but last week Mr. Goff brought a letter giving what he thought should be stated in connection with the original Goff letter and asking that it be printed.

Neither of the letters was printed in the Tribune last week, but Mr. Goff's request caused us to obtain the first letter written by Mr. Gardner to go with Mr. Goff's reply in June of 1916, and with the last letter written by him (Goff), which last letter was given publicly through another newspaper last week.

The three letters are published here with at the request of parties concerned on both sides, and the public can judge for itself the merits of the controversy.

Mr. Gardner's Letter To Mr. Goff.
St. Cloud, Fla.; June 1, 1916.
James Goff—Dear Sir, and Comrade: Quartermaster's records show you mustered March 1, 1915.
Your dues from April 1, 1915, to Jan. 1, 1916, 75 cents.
Your dues from Jan. 1, 1916, to Feb. 1, 1916, 25 cents. Total, \$1.
Nov. 15, 1915, the garrison voted you \$1 for services rendered and should have been placed to the credit of the above. I have so placed same—for dues

from Feb. 1, 1916, to July 1, 1916. See card attached. Fraternally yours,
SEYMOUR GARDNER,
Quartermaster.

Mr. Goff's Reply (The Letter Which Causes the Controversy).
St. Cloud, June 3, 1916.
Comrade Gardner, St. Cloud, Florida:
Dear Sir—Yours of June 1st, 1916, received, stating that the dues of the Army and Navy Union was \$5.00 per year, and that I owed you \$1.25, and, in reply, will say that you can check your baggage to a warmer climate than Florida, and that you will be there to receive it before I pay \$5.00 a year dues. You can drop my name from your roll, as I want nothing more to do with any such a society. Yours respectfully,
JAMES GOFF.

Mr. Goff's Letter Of Recent Date Concerning The Matter.
The letter Mr. Goff lately asked the Tribune to publish, but which was not published until now, follows:
St. Cloud, Jan. 2, 1919.
I understand that some of the veterans of this town are trying to make political capital out of a letter I wrote to Comrade Gardner, sec. of the Army & Navy Union, & thought best to have the whole story told. I had a receipt in my pocket for my year's dues, but got a card from Comrade Gardner asking me to mail him my receipt. I did so, and in a few days I got the receipt back, with a letter stating that they raised the dues from \$1.00 a year to \$5.00 and that I was owing them between three and four dollars more dues. I wrote him that I was surprised at that way of doing business & that he could check his baggage to a warmer climate than St. Cloud & that he would be there waiting for it before I paid him \$5.00 a year dues & that he could drop my name from their rolls, as I would never pay any such dues. My refusal was couched in emphatic language, and my postcard at that time made with many others, caused subse-

LET US HAVE PEACE.

BY E. J. RIGGS.

Let us have peace. The readers of the Tribune were invited to this discussion in this paper in answering the question, "Why don't like St. Cloud?"

Quite a number—some of whom were visiting here for the winter only, and others who were old-time settlers—responded to the invitation, giving their reasons for believing St. Cloud to be a most desirable place of residence.

As a now-comer to St. Cloud at the time, and yet having lived here sufficiently long to appreciate its many advantages, I mentioned in an article I wrote what seemed to me some very delightful features of the place which I thought, might rightly endear it to those who had made its acquaintance.

A year has gone by, and the city is now in the midst of a heated discussion over political matters, and so much bitterness of feeling is being developed that a very vacillating impression is being made upon those who know so little of the matters at issue that they do not feel themselves justified in espousing the cause of either party to the controversy.

I am referring here, as every one will understand, to the movement which has in view the recall of one of the city officials.

There are many who, like myself, know little or nothing of the pros and cons of the matter, who are very ignorant of the merits or demerits of the case as they may affect either party to the controversy; but, whatever may be the right or wrong of it all, it is certainly unfortunate that such a controversy has arisen.

After such discouraging experiences of fire and bank failure as the city already has had, this additional misfortune may well make us feel somewhat alarmed lest we shall become burdened altogether beyond endurance.

I have no special advice to offer in the matter. Probably any suggested remedy that might have been efficacious in the earlier stages of the controversy would be altogether ineffectual today; but it is worthy of serious consideration whether a better, a more fraternal, spirit in the conduct of city affairs is not absolutely necessary if St. Cloud is to have the growth and prosperity that I am sure all the various contending parties must earnestly desire.

WARNING ABOUT CURB MARKET.

To the Producers and Consumers of Farm Products In and About St. Cloud:

It was noticed on Tuesday last that one of the local truck growers was peddling vegetables about town with a wheelbarrow during the hours when peddling of this kind is prohibited by ordinance on market days.

The curb market was established for the purpose of encouraging truck growers to take their produce to a certain and central place for disposal on market days and to encourage the citizens to go to this market to buy their produce.

If garden and farm produce is not taken to this market place, buyers will not go there to purchase; and if buyers do not go there, then there would not be any call for the gardeners, etc., to take their produce there.

So far, the market has been a boon to our citizens, and it will continue to be a boon, and it will grow, if the privilege is not abused.

Citizens are asked not to purchase from traveling peddlers during market hours; that is, to buy from only those who are in the market place at such hours.

Gardeners and farmers are advised to conform to the market ordinance and to take their products to the market place on market days.

If traveling peddling of vegetables, etc., is persisted in during market hours, the City Council undoubtedly will have the ordinance strictly enforced. So it would be well for those interested to avoid unpleasantness in the matter.

Furthermore—some sellers are advancing their prices to a higher level than the stores are asking for similar produce. This is not advisable if the market is to continue to be successful. The idea was to enable gardeners and farmers to get more for their products in the market place than the stores would pay to them, and at the same time to obtain for consumers a corresponding decrease in price.

In some other towns, curb markets have been abandoned for just the reason that the growers exacted larger prices than store prices.

Do not let our curb market drift into this profiteering rut just at a time when good vegetables and other edible products are getting plentiful.

W. G. KING.

NO MORE KNITTING FOR RED CROSS.

No more yarn will be given out for knitting, and all persons who are knitting socks are urged to bring them in as soon as possible.

CLARA E. KENNEY,
Director of Women's Work in St. Cloud Red Cross Chapter.

AS ONE CITIZEN OBSERVES SOME THINGS IN ST. CLOUD.

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

As a citizen of St. Cloud, and as one solicitous for its welfare, there are some things here that impress me quite forcibly, to-wit:

Lack of harmony very noticeable.

Our police court a COMEDY-FARCE.

Our cowboy marshal, in keeping order at night, is a failure.

Children using our streets at night as public playgrounds.

And the young men are very entertaining to our tourists who desire to sleep.

Horse racing on our streets for the benefit and entertainment of the public.

These, and many other things, should be handled by our marshal and our police court.

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St. Cloud, Fla.

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ST. CLOUDLETS

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Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Woodhurst were visitors to Kissimmee last Friday.

Auto for hire. S. W. Porter.

Mrs. G. S. Ashton returned Christmas morning from Jacksonville, where she had been staying the last two months.

W. H. Derbyshire, from New York, and who came here three weeks ago, went Monday to Jacksonville for business.

Fire insurance. See A. E. Drought, 121f.

Mrs. Bette McGowan spent last Thursday in St. Cloud as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Williams, on New York avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hotchkiss were Saturday arrivals from Derby, Conn., and are winter residents at Pennsylvania avenue and Fourteenth street.

L. C. Riddle, dentist. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Conn. building, 51-1f.

W. H. Walker left on Friday for a stay of several days in Tampa, thence to go to Bradenton, where he will visit a friend, Frank Watson.

Miss Anna Kizer was an arrival of Friday from Columbus, Ohio, and will visit here sister, Mrs. Mary Kiner, at Connecticut avenue and Seventeenth street.

A. S. Crotzer lost on Saturday a gray-colored bank book on the Citizens' Bank of Lena, Ill. If found, please leave it at G. A. Bleech's store.

Put pennies, dimes, and quarters into the tin boxes in public places, for the Children's Tin-Box Fund, and thus aid in feeding the starving children of Serbia, Roumania, etc.

Mrs. E. J. Sloan, from Moline, Ill., returned Tuesday to Daytona, where she is residing through the winter. She had a pleasant visit of two weeks with friends in St. Cloud.

Hold your orders for photographs until C. C. Pike opens up in the Peckham building. His work is fine and his prices right.

Dr. R. M. Buckmaster returned to Arcadia on Tuesday, after a visit of two weeks in St. Cloud with relatives. He was accompanied as far as Kissimmee by Mrs. Buckmaster.

W. M. and Mrs. Glasgow, from Wooster, Ohio, and George D. Lehman, from Shreve, Ohio, were arrivals of Saturday, and were registered at the New St. Cloud hotel over Sunday.

Thomson's Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Union meets every second and fourth Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose home. Mrs. Hous-ton, its commander.

Mrs. Anna Blach of Minnesota arrived on Monday to St. Cloud on Monday evening, after staying in Lakeland during the two last weeks as the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Phillips.

A. J. Ford Cranston and his daughter, from Tampa, arrived Saturday night to attend the funeral of his father, Capt. A. Cranston, which took place last Sunday from the Baptist church.

George J. Neyerlin, after a sojourn of two months in our city, went Tuesday to Tampa, where he will enter a hospital for treatment. He expects to return to St. Cloud to resume work on the new road.

The Army and Navy Union, No. 141, meets every first and third Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose home, on New York avenue. F. B. Munwell, adjutant.

David L. Willison, from Montana, who is spending the winter at the Lakeview, left Tuesday for brief visits to Miami, Tampa, and Orlando. He will "take in" the fairs at Tampa and Orlando while gone.

Mrs. Harry Goss spent part of her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Burnett, west of town, and returned last Friday to St. Petersburg to resume her duties as a public-school teacher there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kessler and Mrs. J. C. Gambel from Michigan, arrived Monday and will spend the winter in St. Cloud. They are staying at the New England house, Pennsylvania avenue and Eleventh street.

S. W. Potter, real estate, insurance.

Neal Bartlett left on Tuesday to enter the University of Florida, at Gainesville, to study civil engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodin of Ohio arrived Tuesday evening and are domiciled at the Farris hotel for the season.

Dr. O. L. Buckmaster, Osteopath, eighteen years' experience, Conn. Building. 15-1f

Mrs. Mahel Rogers and Miss Conklin are visitors for the next three days at the New St. Cloud hotel—next Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Revell and three children, from Arcadia, arrived on Tuesday and are staying on Pennsylvania avenue.

The Elsie P. McElroy Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Union will have a benefit at the Palm theater on Thursday, Jan. 10.

The women of the local Presbyterian church will feed the Hungry next Tuesday at G. A. R. Memorial hall at so much per feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Nelson of Flint, Mich., who have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mathewson of Folsom's Addition, left on Tuesday for their farm, at Melbourne.

Miss Kathleen Goff returned to her studies at the State College for Women (Tallahassee) last Monday, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Goff.

Mr. and Mrs. McClellan of Alberta, Canada, are among the late arrivals in St. Cloud. They expect to remain here some time. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Young of Maryland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Riley, and Mrs. Shad, from near Lansing, Mich., came in on Friday last and are located in the Sage residence, on Maryland avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

Mrs. Grady, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Zimmerman the last three weeks, and who is engaged in field work for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, left on Wednesday evening for Winter Haven.

The president of the Woman's Improvement club announces its next meeting will be at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, Jan. 15, in the annex. Prof. Bullard will speak on "Co-operation." Everybody is welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. DeGraw of Springfield, Ohio, arrived in St. Cloud on Saturday evening to visit their sister, Mrs. F. R. Sears. They will stay the winter here, and Mrs. Sears will return with them in the Spring. Mr. DeGraw is delighted with St. Cloud.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Jean, from Anna, Ill., and B. F. Riggs, from Colden, Ill., were arrivals of Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Jean have taken residence at the Birch cottage, Pennsylvania avenue and Eighth street. Mr. Riggs will stay the winter at the Farris hotel.

Henry Hooper, from Lepp county, Nebraska, would like to know if any member of Company F of the Ninth Ohio Regiment is located in or near St. Cloud. Mr. Hooper is domiciled in the Williams home, on Michigan avenue and Fifteenth street, having purchased it last year. He has come here to make his home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knapp and Mrs. W. C. Jones, from Newark, N. J., and Philip Jaqui and Mrs. R. J. Edwards, from East Orange, N. J., who motored through from New Jersey and are touring Florida, spent the week end in St. Cloud and were delighted with their visit. It is hoped they will favor our city with another call before returning to their homes.

Mrs. Oliver Knight and two children returned on Monday from Mascotte, Fla., where she had been visiting Mr. Knight's parents. She was accompanied by her brother-in-law, Mat Knight, who returned to Mascotte on Wednesday.

The third of the great historical picture films depicting the European war has just been issued by the Government's Committee on Public Information (George Creel, chairman). It depicts scenes of actual war on land and sea. Manager Woodbeck will exhibit it at the Palm theater this Saturday night, Jan. 11.

C. P. Coyle spent the holidays in this city, visiting his family. He left Monday for Tallahassee, Fla., where he resumes his duties with the railroad company there.

Senator Duncan U. Fletcher writes the Tribune that he has received a letter from a number of people in this section if they will apply to him for the same.

The Citizens' Realty Company will conduct an auction sale in front of its office, on New York avenue, Saturday afternoon after the adjournment of the weekly meeting of the Veterans' Association.

G. A. Cram arrived in St. Cloud on Monday for a visit with his family. He left St. Cloud a few weeks after America entered the World War and has been engaged in war work at Camp Funston, at Jacksonville, Tenn.; at Nitro, W. Va., at West Point, Va., and at other military posts.

Probably the first consignment of oranges direct from California that ever has been received in St. Cloud arrived here on Christmas day for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stermerding. The oranges were beauties to LOOK at, but the recipients have got them converted to the flavor of the Florida product, which, they say, is far superior in quality if not in looks to the California fruit. It is the old, old story that beauty is only skin deep.

W. H. H. Wertz of Dalton, Ohio, and his granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Schroth of Columbus, Ohio, with her son Robert, spent the first three days of this month with F. E. H. Pope's family. The visitors are touring Florida, but own property at and near Bradenton. They contemplate returning to St. Cloud for the purpose of making certain investments. Mr. Wertz is president of the First National Bank of Dalton.

GREATEST OFFICIAL WAR FILM HERE NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT.

Manager J. D. Woodbeck of the Palm theater, St. Cloud, will present next Saturday night, Jan. 11, the Government's greatest war film—the third of the series. It will be a marvelous and realistic and historical presentation of actual scenes of battle on land and sea and of other great events in the last stages of the World War. Among other features the film shows:

An air battle in which a German airplane battles to the ground.

American soldiers in battle action at Chateau Thierry and other sectors.

Armored trains carrying powerful guns that blasted the battle lines of retreating Hun.

How smoke screens were used to protect our transport vessels sailing to France.

Shows how Britannia "ruled the waves" and kept the sea clear for America's moving bridge of ships.

How Hun prisoners were compelled to aid wounded soldiers of the Entente Allies.

How German dead betwined the battle fields in the wake of the fighting.

Vividly illustrates points of battle action along all fronts in France and Italy.

How vast quantity of munitions were captured by the Entente Ally armies as they chased the Teutons.

Shows fleets of armored tanks in battle action—the rolling forts that were the terror of the Germans.

How the Italians used naval floating batteries on the Piave river in fighting the Austrians.

The terrific and desperate battles that barely saved Venice from falling into the grasp of the foe.

The meeting of important personages at Versailles when they agreed to place the Entente Ally armies under one supreme commander.

There are many other features—all of which comprise a stupendous production that every American should see in order to grasp fully the tremendous efforts and expenditure that were necessary in this country's part in the titanic conflict just closed.

IN MEMORY OF CAPT. CRANSTON.

Alfred Cranston was born Dec. 28, Savannah, Ga., and at the age of 4 years he was removed to Brooklyn, N. Y., from which city, as a young man answering his country's call, he joined the Seventeenth Engine Company of the volunteer fire department, and was the seventeenth one to join that company and they were the members of the Fourteenth Brooklyn Regiment known as the Red-Legged Devils.

Upon his return, after three years of service, he was united in marriage to Elizabeth H. Petford of New York. To this union three children were born—A. Petford, Etta, and Ella.

When falling health compelled him to change climates, he, with his wife, their daughter Ella, granddaughter, and great-granddaughter, came to the veterans' colony in St. Cloud five years ago, where he answered the last roll call Jan. 2, just as the sun went down. He was 67 years old and had a devoted membership of the Baptist Church. The widow, one daughter (Ella), and the son (A. Petford), and three grandchildren, besides a host of friends, are left to mourn his departure.

EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION.
I take this means of thanking all who gave their help and service during the last illness and death of my mother, Mrs. McDonnell; also to those friends who sang at the funeral, and those who contributed the beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. CHARLES LIPPINCOTT.

ST. CLOUD METHODISTS

News Of Livingston Mission Church.
(Contributed.)

Next Sunday day school will have of fine service and glorious victory for this great church. It has been a year of trial but of great victories. We rejoice that we were in line with everything the Government did to bring Germany to its knees. In spite of fire, freeze, and failure of the bank, and a month's closing because of the influenza quarantine, every item of this church has been met. One hundred three names have been added to the rolls during the present pastorate.

The newly organized Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held a called meeting in the annex on Tuesday at 2 p. m. and transacted important business. The organization is growing nicely.

At the official board's meeting Tuesday night a committee was appointed to try to get the City Council to place a street lamp at the corner of Ohio avenue and Tenth street—at least until the mud hole there is filled. Much important business was transacted, and the pastor was invited to return for another year's service by a rising vote. This he will be glad to do if the bishop says so.

Sunday of next week Rev. G. W. Brown is to take Rev. J. B. Westcott, Rev. W. Frank Kenney, and the pastor to Enola to attend the session of the St. John's River Annual Conference, which will last over the following Sunday.

Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rawlings were received into the church by transfer from Bartlesville, Ok. They reside in the Ford property, on Connecticut avenue. Also Miss Ruby Yeaman's name was renewed on the rolls. She had been in Kansas thru the summer.

MEMBERS AND GUESTS OF MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION MET AND DINED NEW YEAR'S DAY.

The Michigan Association met in G. A. R. Memorial hall at 10 a. m. Jan. 1. There was a joyful exchange of New Year's greetings between the ninety members and visitors in attendance as they arrived.

A splendid dinner was served, and the ladies were given a rising vote of thanks for the viands they served.

At 2 p. m. the meeting was called to order by President I. L. Jenkins, and "America" was heartily sung by the assemblage, followed by prayer by Rev. J. T. W. Stewart, the Presbyterian pastor.

Several Michigan comrades were added to our membership.

It was voted to hold the next meeting in the G. A. R. Memorial hall on Wednesday, Feb. 5.

The secretary's report was read, and was approved as read. The treasurer's report also was rendered and approved.

The social hour, under charge of Comrade James Goff, was occupied as follows:

Reading by Mrs. Goff, entitled "The Text of the Hour of Danger."

Song by Master Virgil Harvey, entitled "Over There."

Music on the violin and the guitar by J. N. Burch and Mr. Gill.

Reading by Mrs. Bullard, entitled "Go Ask Your Mother."

Music on the dulcimer by Comrade Martin.

Song by Mrs. Carrie Williams, entitled "It Was Drinking That Maddened His Brain."

Recitation by Mrs. Thompson, entitled "What Shall We Do With Kaiser Bill?"

Music on the mouth-organ by Frank Schwiden.

Reading by I. F. Bullard, entitled "Sunday Fishin'."

Closing song by Comrades Goff and Burch.

ANNA ANSBAUGH, Secretary.

PRESBYTERIANS WILL SERVE A DINNER.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will serve a dinner at the G. A. R. Memorial hall on Tuesday, Jan. 14, at noon.

The viands will be served in cafeteria style. The patronage of a generous and hungry public is solicited for this affair, which is to aid work of the church here.

Dr. May Puckett-Foster will preach at the Baptist church next Sabbath—both services. Capt. Nason will sing a solo at the evening service. (See religious announcements elsewhere.)

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"No, sir, boss, I ain't got no notion er ridin' on nothin' what's got 500 folks a-ridin' and jess one man to say whoa."

This lack of faith on the part of the old darkey aptly illustrates the pessimistic feeling too often advanced in this country at the present time.

So far as we are concerned we believe in our Country, we believe in our President, in our State and in our City.

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VETERANS' ASSOCIATION.

The Veterans' Association met in G. A. R. Memorial hall at 2 p. m. Jan. 4. The meeting was called to order by President W. F. Kenney. The usual opening song, "America," was sung by the audience and the choir, followed by prayer by Chaplain J. B. Westcott. The minutes of the last previous meeting were read by former Secretary W. P. Lynch, and were approved as read. The president announced—

That there will be an adjourned Red

Cross meeting at the Red Cross rooms Friday, Jan. 10.

That the annual meeting of the stockholders of the G. A. R. Memorial Hall Association will be held in the hall at 10 a. m. Tuesday, Jan. 7.

That the Iowa Association will meet on Jan. 11.

That the Ohio Association will meet on Jan. 8.

That the New Englanders meet on the second Tuesday in each month.

The St. Cloud "yell" was voted while the collection was being taken, which amounted to \$4.07.

A beautiful quilt was offered for

sale, but no bid above \$10 was made, and the quilt is held to be sold later.

Two pairs of deer horns were sold for \$1.50 per pair.

The program was an excellent one, being arranged by the Army and Navy Union Auxiliary, under the direction of E. C. Westcott. Its features were:

"New Year of an Optimist," by J. B. Westcott.

Singing by the choir.

Recitation by Della Cunningham.

Instrumental music by Mrs. Barber and Comrade Burch.

"Little Mother in Her Cabin Far Away," by Mrs. Francher.

"Miranda on the Babes," a recitation by Mrs. Houston.

Comrade Leister rendered "Simon's Wife's Mother Lies Sick With a Fever" and "Somewhere in France," a Letter written by the Crown Prince to Papa.

President Kenney recited "Bachelor's Hall," after which he made a short talk.

"Suwannee River," sung by the choir, closed the program.

Every number of the entertainment program merited and received appreciation.

Nothing further coming before the association, "The Star-Spangled Banner" was sung by the audience and the choir, and adjournment followed.

A. ANSBALGH, Secretary.

NEW YORK VETERANS' ASSOCIATION'S TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF CAPTAIN CRANSTON.

The New York Veterans' Association has adopted resolutions in tribute to the memory of Capt. Alfred Cranston as follows:

Whereas on Thursday evening, Jan. 2, 1919, at sundown, Comrade Alfred Cranston crossed over the river and entered into the beauties of the Great Beyond; and shortly after coming to St. Cloud with his family he joined the New York Veterans' Association and was a highly esteemed member, and he always had a kindly greeting for his friends and comrades; therefore be it

Resolved, on behalf of this association, that we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and that we earnestly pray that God ever will be near them and will lift the burden from them and let His gracious love be around and about them; and be it further

Resolved, that a copy hereof be sent to the sorrowing family, a copy be sent to the St. Cloud Tribune for publication, and a copy be placed on the minutes of this association.

J. W. FRANCHER,
DORA L. FRANCHER,
Committee.

BIRDS ABOUT ST. CLOUD

A bird census for St. Cloud lately was taken by Mrs. A. J. Sloane of Moline, Ill., who is staying a few weeks with her friend, Mrs. Mary Metzgar, in this city.

Mrs. Sloane is a winter resident of Daytona, but has visited St. Cloud several times, and is impressed by the advantages and steady growth. She has been studying birds throughout thirty years, and is planning a boat trip down the Mississippi river for further ornithological research before her return to Daytona.

From Dec. 24 to Dec. 30 Mrs. Sloane chronicled the different varieties of man's winged friends she saw in this vicinity. Her list comprises forty-one names this far—as follows:

Little Blue Heron. Goldfinch.
Killdeer. Chipping Sparrow.
Florida Bob White. Vesper Sparrow.
Mourning Dove. Song Sparrow.
Ground Dove. Towhee.
Turkey Vulture. Cardinal.
Black Vulture. Shrike.
Marsh Hawk. Myrtle Warbler.
Sparrow Hawk. Palm Warbler.
Oprey. Mockingbird.
Kingfisher. Catbird.
Flicker. House Wren.
Phoebe. Hermit Thrush.
Bluejay (Florida). Robin.
Crow. Bluebird.
Florida Grackle. Savannah Sparrow.
Blue-Gray Gnat Catcher.
Carolina Wren (Florida).
Ruby-Crowned Kinglet.
Florida (Maryland) Yellow Throat.
Black-and-White Warbler.
Red-Winged Blackbird.
Red-Bellied Woodpecker.
Big Blue Heron (Ward's).

OFFICERS ELECTED BY PENNSYLVANIA ASSOCIATION.

The Pennsylvania Association met in regular meeting, pursuant to notice as given, in the old G. A. R. hall at 2 p. m. Thursday, Jan. 2, to elect officers and transact other business. Dr. Silas Cooke, president, and William P. Lynch, secretary and chorister, officiated in their respective offices.

The meeting was opened by singing "America," followed by prayer by Rev. A. L. Brand, after which "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" was sung. The minutes of the two last previous meetings, held some months ago were read by the secretary and were approved as read.

A collection was taken up, amounting to \$2.61, and was placed in the hands of Mrs. W. F. Kenney for delivery to the treasurer, W. F. Kenney.

The president then announced that election of officers was in order.

Dr. Silas Cooke was the only nominee for president.

A. S. McKay was the only nominee for vice-president.

Mrs. Lillian Low was the only nominee for second vice-president.

William P. Lynch had no opposition for secretary and chorister.

Rev. A. L. Brand was unopposed for chaplain.

All of the foregoing were elected to their respective offices by acclamation. Mrs. Silas Cooke, Mrs. Kenney, Mrs. N. P. Curtis, Mr. DeGraw, Mrs. Pettit, Mrs. Hoover, Mrs. Bailey, and Mr. McKay were mentioned for members of the entertainment and program com-

mittees, but N. P. Curtis moved that every member of the association be made a member of the entertainment and program committee, which was unanimously adopted.

It was voted to hold the next regular meetin in either the old G. A. R. hall or the park, at 2 p. m. Thursday, Jan. 16.

In response to the president's request for remarks for the good of the association, William P. Lynch, Rev. A. L. Brand, H. N. Young, J. H. DeGraw, Mrs. Bailey, Dr. Silas Cooke, Mrs. Kenney, and N. P. Curtis made short and live talks, largely concerning the grand old Keystone State.

"All persons who are not members of any other State association," says Secretary William P. Lynch (to whom the Tribune is indebted for the report of the meeting), "are cordially invited to join the Pennsylvania Association as members, and everybody is welcome to attend all of our meetings, picnics, and excursions."

MRS. AARON McDONIEL IS DEAD.

Anna Flickinger was born in Defiance, Ohio, May 14, 1848, and departed this life Jan. 5, 1919, making her 70 years 6 months old.

In 1868 she was united in marriage to Dr. Don Monran. To them were born two children—Mrs. G. H. Wilson of Cleveland, Ohio and W. F. Don Monran of Detroit, Mich.

In 1874 she was married to Oliver Ellsworth, and one child, Charles Oliver of Antwerp, Ohio, blessed their union.

In 1880 she was married to Aaron

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McDoniel, and to them was born one child—Mrs. Charles Lippincott, with whom Mrs. McDoniel had made her home during the nine years last past.

Mrs. McDoniel united with the United Brethren Church when quite young. Later she placed her religious membership with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which she remained until she went to Los Angeles, Cal., where she joined the Christian Missionary Alliance, of which she was a member at the time of her death.

Mrs. McDoniel suffered severely during the last fifteen years, but was very patient through it all, relying always on His grace as being sufficient. Hers was a very strong Christian character, and she was a devoted mother and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. She had been an invalid during the two last years of her life, but she made many friends, who, with her four children, mourn her loss.

Mrs. McDoniel's remains were sent to her old-time home, South Charleston, Ohio, where they will be met by her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Wilson, and former friends and will be laid to rest beside those of her late husband, Aaron McDoniel.

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Prayer meeting (Wednesday), 6 p. m.

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Rev. J. T. W. Stewart, Pastor.
Bible school, 9:30 a. m.
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Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.
Social prayer service (Wednes-
day), 7 p. m.

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Rev. H. H. Bowen, Pastor.
Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.
Preaching, 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.
Epworth League, 6 p. m.
Class meeting, 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting (Wednesday), 7 p. m.
Ladies' Aid Society (second and
fourth Tuesdays each month), 2 p. m.
Woman's Home Missionary Soci-
ety (first Tuesday of each
month), 2 p. m.
Official Board (first Tuesday in
each month), 6:30 p. m.
Sunday-School Board (second
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Epworth League's business meet-
ing (Friday), 7 p. m.
Epworth League social (fourth
Friday in each month), 7:30 p. m.

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Bible school, 9:30 a. m.
Preaching, 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting (Wednesday), 7 p. m.
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Woman's Missionary Union (third
Friday in each month), 2:30 p. m.

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10:30 o'clock. Subject for Jan. 12, "Sacra-
ment." (Subject Jan. 19, "Life"; sub-
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sorrow; for the beautiful flowers, and
for such personal acts of thoughtful-
ness and comfort as all give.We feel deeply grateful for the lov-
ing funeral service of song by Mr. Na-
son and the choir, and Dr. Foster's
sermon was really a message from the
Loving Father. To the G. A. R. post
also, and to Mr. Carlson for his splen-
did service as undertaker, so ably per-
formed in all respects, we are deeply
appreciative also.MRS. ALFRED CRANSTON
AND FAMILY.FIRST SOCIAL CARD PARTY FOR
RED CROSS IS SUCCESSFUL.The first social card party of the
season given for the benefit of the local
Red Cross Chapter was pleasant and
successful. Seven tables participated
in the games.Hereafter five-hundred will be played
in the parlor, and tables will be placed
in the lobby for any game those at-
tending may wish to play.These evenings will not only be of
benefit in the social entertainment of
our winter visitors, but also a pleasure
to the people of St. Cloud to be able to
contribute something, even in this small
way, toward the enjoyment of their
way with us; and it will be of profit-
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Whereas a petition signed by a num-
ber of the voters of the City of St. Cloud,
Florida, duly registered and equal to
thirty per cent of the said voters, have
petitioned the Mayor and Council of the
City of St. Cloud, Florida, by filing with
the Mayor a petition demanding that an
election be held within thirty days to de-
termine whether Fred B. Kenney, an elected
officer of said City of St. Cloud, holding
the office of Clerk and Collector, shall be
recalled and his office vacated, and in
said petition is stated the name of James
Goff, a duly qualified elector of said City,
as a candidate to succeed said Fred B. Ken-
ney as Clerk and Collector.Now I, J. K. Conn, as Mayor of the
said City of St. Cloud, Florida, finding
the said petition conforming to the re-
quirements of the Charter and Ordinances
of said City of St. Cloud, in such case
made and provided, do hereby give notice
that an election shall be held in said
City of St. Cloud, Florida, on the 14th day
of January, A. D. 1919, to determine
whether the said Fred B. Kenney shall be
recalled as an elected officer of said City
of St. Cloud, and his office vacated, and
the said James Goff, a duly qualified elector
of said City, shall succeed said Fred B. Ken-
ney as Clerk and Collector of said City of
St. Cloud, Florida.For the purpose of holding said election,
I hereby appoint A. J. Brown and B. K.
Gessford as Inspectors and S. W. Porter
as Clerk.In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand in the City of St. Cloud,
Florida, this 19th day of December,
A. D. 1918.J. K. CONN,
Mayor of the City of St. Cloud, Florida.To the Honorable, the Mayor and Council
of the City of St. Cloud, State of
Florida:The undersigned voters of the City
of St. Cloud, State of Florida, duly reg-
istered and constituting more than thirty
per cent of the registered voters of
said City, respectfully petition the
Mayor and the Council of the said City
of St. Cloud and demand that an elec-
tion be held within said City, accord-
ing to law and the Charter and Ordina-
nces of said City, within thirty days
from the filing hereof, to determine
whether Fred B. Kenney, Clerk and Col-
lector of said City, shall be recalled and
the said office of Clerk and Collector
vacated.The reasons for recalling said Fred B.
Kenney, Clerk and Collector as afore-
said, are as follows:1st. Nonfeasance, malfeasance, and
misfeasance in office on the part of
said Fred B. Kenney, Clerk and Col-
lector as afore-said, in refusing to
permit citizens of said City to inspect
the records and books of said City.2nd. Nonfeasance, malfeasance, and
misfeasance in office on the part of
said Fred B. Kenney, Clerk and Col-
lector as afore-said, in failing and re-
fusing to pay over moneys coming into
his hands officially to the Treasurer of
said City immediately upon the receipt
of the same.3rd. Nonfeasance, malfeasance, and
misfeasance in office on the part of
said Fred B. Kenney, Clerk and Col-
lector as afore-said, in failing and re-
fusing to present to the Council at its
first meeting in each and every month
a written report of all moneys received
by him and the proceedings of the Mayor's
Court, showing clearly the income
therefrom during the preceding month.

And your petitioners charge:

1st. That on the 9th day of Decem-
ber, A. D. 1918, E. T. Hopkins, W. H.
Tumminich, James Goff, L. D. Frost,
and Edd. George, each being then and
there citizens of said City of St. Cloud,
called at the office of the said Fred B.
Kenney, Clerk and Collector as afore-
said, in said City of St. Cloud, and de-
manded the right to inspect the records
and books of the said City of St. Cloud,
then and there in the official custody
of the said Fred B. Kenney, as Clerk
and Collector as afore-said, which de-
mand was then and there refused by
the said Fred B. Kenney, Clerk and Col-
lector as afore-said, and the said Fred
B. Kenney, Clerk and Collector as afore-
said, then and there, in the
manner and form as afore-said, failed
and refused to keep the records and
books of the said City of St. Cloud at
all times open to the inspection of the
afore-said citizens of the said City of
St. Cloud.2nd. That at divers times during the
year 1918 the said Fred B. Kenney,
Clerk and Collector as afore-said, col-
lected and received divers sums of
money from divers persons, which said
sums of money came into his hands of-
ficially as Clerk and Collector afore-
said, and failed and refused to im-
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diately, upon the receipt of the same,
pay over said sums of money to the
Treasurer of said City of St. Cloud.Council of said City of St. Cloud upon
divers months during the year 1918
the said Fred B. Kenney, Clerk and Col-
lector as afore-said, failed and re-
fused to present to said Council a
written report of all moneys received
by him, and of the proceedings of the
Mayor's Court showing clearly the in-
come therefrom during the preceding
month.Your petitioners hereby name James
Goff, a duly qualified elector of said
City of St. Cloud, as a candidate to
succeed the said Fred B. Kenney as
Clerk and Collector of the said City
of St. Cloud.Respectfully submitted: L. D. Frost,
Edd. George, W. H. Tumminich, L. E.
Kibbe, H. D. Brainerd, Edward E.
Jones, C. L. Brown, L. E. Firkus, S. J.
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ols, Wm. W. Angel, J. H. Towler, O.
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Reynolds, W. A. Steuart (X his mark),
J. B. Schuler, S. Castle, George M. Fell
(X his mark), William Cook, John S.
Huddleston, John Whipple, C. W. Hol-
tenbeck (X his mark), H. C. Bartlett,
William Leaton, C. C. Cottrell (X his
mark), S. P. Ramsdell, L. C. Riddle,
Henry W. Dale, W. H. Tuttle, A. J.
Brown, Asa D. Stebbins (X his mark),
Ed. Nease, C. C. Tunnicliffe, P. M.
Maui, P. O. Sear, A. B. Payne, Zebulon
B. Stillwell (X his mark), Thos. Rogers,
A. D. Harman, A. W. Dougherty,
Edward A. Veeder, J. O. Vreeland, M.
Johnston, John Washer (X his mark),
J. A. Nelson, C. J. Rothrock, H. F. Hes-
linger (X his mark), John E. Neary,
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John T. Hogg, D. C. Cope, E. N. Leav-
itt, L. D. Dalbey, W. M. Murphy, L. S.
Davis, A. H. Church, E. F. Barnes, A.
A. Martin, C. D. Ashton, J. W. Miller,
T. P. Padgett, John McCroryState of Florida, } SS.
County of Osceola. }
Personally appeared before me, the
undersigned authority, John A. McCar-
thy, who, being duly sworn according
to law, says that he was present when
each of the subscribers, not by number
to the foregoing petition signed the
same, and that the signature of each
subscriber thereto is the signature of
the person it purports to be.JOHN A. MCCARTHY,
Sworn to and subscribed before me this
December 18th, A. D. 1918.S. W. PORTER,
(Seal) Justice of the Peace.A citizen who does not subscribe for
and read his local newspaper is about
half buried alive.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR
(For Final Discharge)In Court of County Judge, Osceola Coun-
ty, State of Florida, In re Estate of S.
J. Scriber. Notice is hereby given to all
persons having claims against the estate
of said S. J. Scriber, deceased, that on the 15th
day of January, A. D. 1919, I shall call
on the Honorable J. M. Murphy, Judge
of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for
my final discharge as Executor of the
estate of S. J. Scriber deceased; and that
at the same time I will present my final
accounts as Executor of said estate, and
ask for their approval.
Dated August 1st, A. D. 1918.DAVID G. BUNNELL,
Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola
County, State of Florida. In re Es-
tate of George Walters.To All Creditors, Legatees, Distribu-
tees, and All Persons Having Claims
or Demands Against Said Estate:
You and each of you are hereby no-
tified and required to present any
claims and demands which you or ei-
ther of you may have against the es-
tate of George Walters, deceased, late
of Osceola County, Florida, to the un-
dersigned Executrix of said estate
within two years from the date hereof.
Dated December 5th, A. D. 1918.MARY ELLEN WALTERS,
Executrix.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Circuit Court of the County
Judge, Osceola County, State of Flor-
ida.—In re Estate of E. A. Whaley.To All Creditors, Legatees, Distribu-
tees, and All Persons Having Claims
or Demands Against Said Estate:
You and each of you are hereby no-
tified and required to present any
claims and demands which you or ei-
ther of you may have against the estate
of E. A. Whaley, deceased, late of Osceola
County, Florida, to the undersigned ad-
ministratrix of said estate within two
years from the date hereof.
Dated Dec. 18th, A. D. 1918.NANCY T. WHALEY,
Administratrix.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX
DEED.Notice is hereby given that M. C. Mc-
Graw, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 714,
dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916,
has filed said certificate in my office and
has made application for tax deed to issue
in accordance with law. Said certificate
embraces the following described prop-
erty, to-wit:Lots 10, 11, and 12 of Block 336 of St.
Cloud—the said land being assessed at the
date of issuance of said certificate in
the name of M. McGraw. Unless said cer-
tificate shall be redeemed according to
law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 10th
day of February, A. D. 1919.J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk of Circuit Court, Osceola County,
Florida.NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX
DEED.Notice is hereby given that Weston Bal-
ley, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 903,
dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916,
has filed said certificate in my office and
has made application for tax deed to issue
in accordance with law. Said certificate
embraces the following described property,
situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-
wit: Lots 23 and 24 of Block 92, St. Cloud,
Florida.The land being assessed at the date of
the issuance of said certificate in the name
of L. R. Ford. Unless said certificate shall
be redeemed according to law, tax deed
will issue thereon on the 3d day of Feb-
ruary, A. D. 1919.J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Osceola County,
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Citrus Fruits Sell For What They Are Worth Good Prices Assured by Wider Range of Uses

Last week we referred to the assurance of continued good prices for grapefruit and oranges given by the public's growing acquaintance with their value as food and usefulness in maintaining health.

The situation as it exists and the degree to which the recent influenza epidemic helped to bring home to the public the great benefits derived from eating citrus fruits is aptly stated in an editorial by the California Citrograph, reading as follows:

"In the columns of press comment on the scarcity and high prices of oranges and lemons one fact of importance stands out clearly:—People have come to realize that citrus fruits are healthful and no longer mere luxuries.

"During the recent epidemic of influenza oranges and lemons were almost a necessity. Doctors throughout the country were prescribing them for their patients. The unusual demand which this created, coupled with the shortage of supplies, forced prices to unheard-of levels.

"If doctor said oranges would help bring sister or son back to health, then they were worth \$1.50 a dozen or more. Citrus fruits jumped from semi-luxuries to necessities and the cost became a small consideration."

Now that people understand that grapefruit and oranges are both food and medicine, their production becomes a much more stable proposition, with good prices in the reach of every grower who raises good fruit and markets it right. This is the time to plant more citrus trees.

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Why Kenney Should Be Defeated

Certain property owners of St. Cloud are NOW preventing the city from collecting

Twelve Thousand Dollars

due the city by them for brick paving in front of their property. Fred Kenney has insisted that this money should be paid and that it belongs to ALL THE TAXPAYERS. The case is now pending in the State Supreme Court.

This money is due the city from Mayor Conn and others assisting him in his effort to beat Kenney.

If Fred Kenney is defeated and his opponents get control of your city administration they will immediately discontinue the paving suit and all the people will have to pay for Mayor Conn's and associates' private obligations to the city.

Is the defeat of Fred B. Kenney worth

Twelve Thousand Dollars

of money belonging to the good people of St. Cloud?

THINK OVER THIS MATTER

(PAID ADVERTISEMENT)

CITY TREASURER SAYS ALLEGATION IS FALSE

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he has been a member of that body. Mr. Kenney asserts he has heard some persons talk to him in a manner that, had he been in the city clerk's shoes he would have shown them the door.

Questioned if the "harmony" committee's statement that Mr. Kenney has refused to turn over city funds to him (King), Mr. King says the statement is ABSOLUTELY FALSE—that the city clerk and collector never has so refused at any time.

In this connection it is pertinent to say that Mr. King, as city treasurer, always goes to Mr. Kenney and asks him for the city funds when he thinks a sum has accumulated sufficient to justify him in the trouble of calling on the clerk and collector and making the transfer and deposit. It is much easier for him to hunt up the clerk and collector than to have this official running after him (King).

THE "WHY" OF SOME OF OUR CITY TROUBLES

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that it had value received for its payments.

Such contracts usually run over their estimates, as in the course of construction circumstances arise which alter the amount of work to be done.

For instance, the brick leading to each alleyway was an extra item. Some excavation also was an extra. Moving of curbs, to straighten out the lines, and an additional two feet laid on Tenth street increased the amount of work done and caused an excess over the original estimate.

This and the question as to who are to pay for the brick paving are two of the main questions in the recall matter that is now before the people.

Mr. Kenney takes the stand that two-thirds of the cost of this paving should be borne by those property owners who received the most benefit by the work, and that the whole cost should not be borne by general taxation—that all of the city's taxpayers should pay for only one-third of the cost.

The next matter that occupies the minds of the people, and which has been largely exploited for election purposes, is that the City Council would not allow Mr. George to fill the water mains with water pending the completion of the power-house.

Had the council allowed Mr. George to do this, the defective joints would have shown up under the low pressure that THEN existed, and they would have been repaired; but when the EXTRA PRESSURE from the NEW water-works was put on, there would have developed MORE LEAKS, which the city then would have had to repair at its own expense. At the present time there is sufficient money held back to make these repairs.

That the wooden pipes were a big mistake is admitted.

However, an engineer was hired, and he suggested these wooden pipes; and he was supposed to know what pressure they would stand.

Had the pipes been filled, the city would have FROM THAT FACT acknowledged that the contract had been fulfilled.

There was one trouble, however, in laying the wooden pipes. The ends were not properly fitted together; and this, more than the wood-and trouble, has been a cause of expense.

THIS WORK WAS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A MAN PAID BY THE ENGINEER AND WHO IS TO-

DAY ONE OF THE PERSONS CRITICISING HIS OWN WORK.

About the construction of the power-house—by Mr. Mallett. The case is in court and can not now be decided, but the fact is that the contractor put in a bid far below what the work actually cost, and the final decision as to what sum he is entitled to must come through the court.

The councilmen have acted throughout, including Mr. Kenney, for the best interests of the city and its citizens in general, and they have not acted for any particular party. AND IT IS FOR THAT REASON THAT THEY ARE ACCORDED ABUSE IN CERTAIN QUARTERS.

I place these facts before the people because I see that things have been grossly misrepresented to the general public. W. G. KING.

MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT BY SCHOOL PUPILS.

The entertainment given at G. A. R. Memorial hall last Friday night by members of the High School Glee Club and the children of the primary department of the grade school was both pleasing to a large audience and profitable to the entertainers.

The affair was arranged to aid the work of the Liberty Girls and the Junior Red Cross workers, and the receipts were divided for this purpose. Inclement weather prevented the hall being filled to overflowing.

The primary department's part of the program was rendered first, and it was indeed creditable to both the children and their instructor, Miss Fleeda Doolittle.

The Glee Club already has made a reputation for itself, but on Friday night it scored an additional success by including a feature in which four well-known young men of the High School appeared as black-face comedians.

The names and parts of those participating in the performance are as follows:

MOTHER GOOSE'S GOSSINGS... Mother Goose... Madolyn Rode Little Red Riding Hood... Virginia Barber Old Woman of the Shoe... Martha Boggs Georgie Porgie... Walter Powell Jack... Jay Johnston Jill... Catharine Bailey Rock-a-Bye Baby... June Johnston Mistress Mary... Marjorie Outlaw Wee Willie Winkie... Robert Stewart Simple Simon... Bobbie Carlson Jack Horner... Virgil Haney Old Mother Hubbard... Marietta Murray Humpty Dumpty... Francis Meeker Miss Muffet... Mildred Meeker Ho-Dee-Dee... Frances Conn Boy Blue... Freeman Campbell Tom the Piper's Son... Paul Milar The Wolf... Power Milar

There was a fairy drill by the primary grade.

"Don't Bite the Hand That's Feeding You" and "Liberty Bell" were pleasing songs by the children.

Hudson Bullard was very "sweet" as Uncle Sam, and Jane Johnston was a charming-looking Goddess of Liberty. Walter Powell sang "America, Here's My Boy."

"Over There" and "Smile, Smile, Smile" were sung by Virgil Haney.

The High School Glee Club rendered several appreciated selections, the best being a "Canoe Song."

The entertainment yielded \$30 clear of all expenses.

MEETING OF WESTMINSTER CIRCLE.

(Contributed)

The Westminster Circle met on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 31, with Mrs. Silas Cooke at her home, corner of Michigan avenue and Eighth street.

After the devotional exercises, which

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I OWN SOME CHOICE and desirable properties, improved and unimproved, in St. Cloud and in the country near the city, any of which I will sell at a very low price and on terms to suit the purchaser. A bearing citrus grove is in St. Cloud. Call on L. D. Frost, 12-11

Seventh st. and Florida av. I must sell some of these properties. L. D. FROST.

WANTED

TO TRADE FOR CAR—Good lot in heart of city. Inquire of C. C. Newton, St. Cloud, Fla. 10-12

WANTED—To rent sewing machine. Singer preferred. Mrs. P. F. Murray, Pennsylvania and Ninth. Box 619. 20

LOST

LOST—A door key somewhere between the telephone office and the Clyde. Leave it at Marine's pharmacy. J. D. Woodbeck. 20

were led by Mrs. Fowler, the president, the afternoon was spent in sewing of quilts which are to be sent to the children's home in Jacksonville. Some of the ladies cut squares of material while others sewed them together.

While busy hands piled the scissors and needles, the fourteen members and six visitors had a pleasant social time. The society received a most cordial welcome from our genial hostess.

WOMEN ASK GOFF AND KENNEY TO MEETING.

Some of St. Cloud's women have issued the following call for a mass meeting:

To the Voters of St. Cloud:

Owing to the conflicting statements affecting the candidates for the coming election, and desirous of getting at the truth of the matter, the women of St. Cloud have decided to call a mass meeting and invite Messrs. Kenney and Goff to define their position and policy, in order that the women may vote intelligently and for the best interests of the public. MONDAY AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock sharp at the G. A. R. hall. Men voters cordially invited to attend. WOMEN'S COMMITTEE.

NEW YORK VETERANS' ASSOCIATION MEETING.

The New York Veterans' Association met in regular session at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, in the old G. A. R. hall. Singing of "America" opened the meeting, followed by a prayer by Comrade Lynch. After singing "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," the minutes were read and approved.

Comrade Paul Lounsbury (Company C, Sixth New York Heavy Artillery) joined the association.

The next meeting, on Feb. 4, will be held in Oak Grove park—weather permitting.

No regular program having been arranged, the following were volunteered: Remarks by Comrades Weatherston, Brand, DeGraw, and Francher.

Readings by Comrade Robinson, "Salvation Mary" and "Brother Dick."

Reading by Mrs. Robinson, "Tack Knox; or, A Flurry in Stocks."

Recitation by Mrs. Marskie, "Little Tim."

Story by Comrade Francher, "Pat and Mike."

Remarks by Comrade Chrisman.

Recitation by Mrs. Francher, "My Mother."

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Comrade Weatherston. Vice-President—Comrade Francher. Secretary and Treasurer—Comrade Robinson.

Mrs. Brand will conduct the program at the next meeting.

The meeting was closed by singing "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."

Thirty-three persons attended. AMELIA R. ROBINSON, Press Correspondent.

ST. LUKE'S MISSION NOTES.

The members of St. Luke's Mission and many others, to the capacity of the Graft hall, had the pleasure of listening to a very able sermon by Rt. Rev. Cameron Mann, bishop of the southern Florida diocese, last Sunday.

The bishop was accompanied on this visit by Mrs. Mann, and also by Mrs. Wood of Charleston, S. C., wife of the general secretary of the Southern Jurisdiction of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Mrs. L. D. Frost and Miss E. S. Post attended the convocation of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Sanford from Tuesday to Thursday. Miss Post will extend her trip to other points in Florida.

Married—Tuesday, Jan. 7, Mr. Earl Hoelander Kenyon to Mrs. Cassie Stinson. Justice of the Peace S. W. Porter performed the ceremony at his office.

Ask W. G. King
St. Cloud, Florida

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IF You Are Honest, Come Across

Believing that the present attempt to recall Fred Kenney from office is persecution without reason, and that if the city's books were investigated by the best auditors in the country, everything would be found correct and the city's interests properly safeguarded by Mr. Kenney, I make the following offer to any member of the "Harmony Committee" who circulated the petition asking that Mr. Kenney be recalled without any investigation as to the truth of their charges:

"I hereby offer to put up \$500.00 or any part thereof necessary to pay for a certified public accountant's work to investigate the books of Mr. Kenney, if the 'Harmony Committee' will put up a like sum, and if anything is found wrong with Mr. Kenney's affairs to forfeit the cash cost of such an investigation, provided the 'Harmony Committee' will agree to pay the costs and forfeit such sum if nothing is found wrong."

This offer I make in justice to the taxpayers of the city who are asked by the "Harmony Committee" to hold an election at costs to the city to remove a city official who HAS NOT BEEN FOUND GUILTY of any violation, or whose affairs have not been investigated to ascertain if any reported charges are true.

If the "Harmony Committee" is honest in their efforts they will put up their money and have this investigation without expense to the taxpayers, or they will withdraw their charges.

LEVI SHAMBOW.

PAID ADV.